Customer Segmentation Analysis - Exploratory Data Analysis Report

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1 Project: Customer Segmentation and Analysis

1.1 Stage Two: Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

This is the second stage of the project, I delve into the cleaned sales data from the data wrangling stage of the project to understand the key aspects of the data. I use interactive visualizations to communicate key insights and trends, as well as summary statistics to highlight key aspects of the dataset, helping stakeholders understand the nature of the data.

In this analysis, I look at highlighting some Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) by answering questions on the data. These key questions are as follows:

- 1. What proportion of transactions were captured as either sale or canceled?
- 2. What was the trend in transactions made over the recorded period? For this question, trend in transactions will be grouped according to transaction types. That is sale or canceled and filtered by the year in which these transactions took place.
- 3. From which countries were the most or least transactions recorded with respect to transaction type (sale or canceled)? For this, I will look at the number of transactions recorded per country and the total amounts realised from these transactions with respect to the transaction type (sale or canceled). I will look at the countries that occupy the top and bottom 10 spots in the result of this analysis.
- 4. **During which time of day (morning, afternoon, evening) were transactions made?** For this interesting analysis, I will look at both transaction types (sale and canceled), the total amounts realised from each type during each time of day for the months in the years recorded. This will be filtered by the weeks in the months and will give stakeholders a deeper insight into the different types of transactions recorded and how these transactions fared during the morning, afternoon and evening hours of the day for each month and year.
- 5. From which country did the online retail store have the most or least customers?

For each of the above questions, key insights derived can be found below each chart used in visualizing the data explaining the findings.

• **NB:** It must be noted that the currency value of all transaction amounts is in pound sterling.

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2	536365	84406	CREA	M CUPID HEAF	TS COAT	HANGER	8	
3	536365	84029	KNITTED U	NION FLAG HO	T WATER	BOTTLE	6	
4	536365	84029	RED	WOOLLY HOTTI	E WHITE	HEART.	6	
5	536365	22752	SE	T 7 BABUSHKA	NESTIN	G BOXES	2	
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6	2010-12-01	08:26:00	4.25	17850	United	Kingdom	sale	
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8	2010-12-01	08:28:00	1.85	17850	United	Kingdom	sale	
9	2010-12-01	08:34:00	1.69	13047	United	Kingdom	sale	
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min	536365.000000	10002.000000	1.000000	
25%	549148.000000	22029.000000	2.000000	
50%	561857.000000	22666.000000	6.000000	
75%	572035.000000	23268.000000	12.000000	
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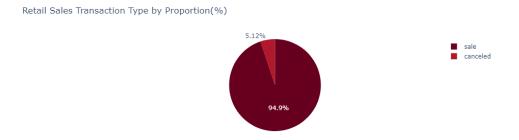
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min	2010-12-01 08:26:00	0.000000	12346.000000	
25%	2011-04-06 15:31:00	1.250000	13959.000000	
50%	2011-07-29 16:24:00	1.950000	15152.000000	
75%	2011-10-20 12:03:00	3.750000	16791.000000	
max	2011-12-09 12:50:00	649.500000	18287.000000	
std	NaN	4.452040	1710.807345	

	TotalAmount
count	399654.000000
mean	23.041940
min	0.000000
25%	4.950000
50%	11.900000
75%	19.800000
max	168469.600000
std	425.412835

1.1.1 1. Plotting the Proportion of Transaction Types Captured as either Sale and Canceled

TransactionType TotalAmount
0 canceled 471742.31
1 sale 8737061.14

1.1. Visuallizing the above result using a pie chart



1.2. Insights: From the above pie chart, it is clear cancelled transactions make up the smallest percentage of all transaction on the online retail platform. Occupying just 5.12% of all transactions, it accumulated a total amount of 471,742.31. Transactions that were captured as Sale make up the largest percentage of all transaction. Occupying 94.9% and accumulated a total amount of 8,737,061.14.

1.1.2 2. Monthly and Yearly Trend in Transactions With Respect to Transaction Types ('sale' or 'cancelled')

We will visualize the trend in sales for each month for the recorded period in our dataset. Firstly, we will look at transactions that are categorized as **sale** and look at the trend within this category throughout the recorded period. Then we will look at transactions that are categorized as **cancelled**. For this trend analysis, we will utilize a area plot.

2.1. Extract month and year into separate columns

- 2.2. Filter for transactions of type 'sale'
- 2.3. Create a new DataFrame with the desired aggregation
- 2.4. Order the DataFrame by year and month

	Year	Month	TotalAmount
0	2010	Dec	565145.06
5	2011	Jan	562657.71
4	2011	Feb	442291.09

8	2011	Mar	583121.35
1	2011	Apr	454435.88
9	2011	May	659220.69
7	2011	Jun	653263.67
6	2011	Jul	591600.04
2	2011	Aug	635504.38
12	2011	Sep	938736.38
11	2011	Oct	1002324.06
10	2011	Nov	1136532.75
3	2011	Dec	512228.08

2.5. Visualizing the sales transactions trend of the above result set using an area plot



2.6. Insights: From the trend in transactions categorized as sale, only the month of December in the year 2010 was sales recorded. For that month an amount of 565,145K was recorded. Although no data on sales for the other months of that year 2010 were not available of this analysis. Comparing it to the same month in the year 2011 showed a slightly better performance in sales in 2010 than in 2011. For sales in 2011, we observed a decline in the months of February and April with recorded sales figures of 442,291K and 454,436K respectively. A rise in sales occurred from the month of August through to November, with November recording the highest sales in the year with a total sales amount of 1.137 million.

2.7. Filter for Transactions of type 'canceled'

2.8. Create a new data frame with desired aggregation

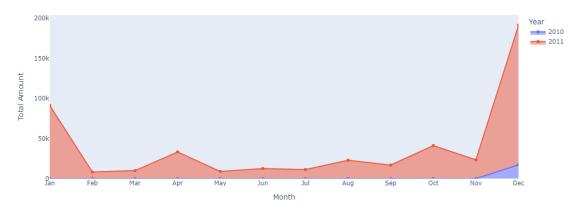
2.9. Ordering the data frame by Year and Month

Year Month TotalAmount
0 2010 Dec 17297.24

5	2011	Jan	91252.57
4	2011	Feb	8275.42
8	2011	Mar	10005.80
1	2011	Apr	33313.11
9	2011	May	8928.25
7	2011	Jun	12635.71
6	2011	Jul	11389.06
2	2011	Aug	22909.25
12	2011	Sep	16943.89
11	2011	Oct	41284.07
10	2011	Nov	23431.88
3	2011	Dec	174076.06

2.10. Visualizing the cancelled transactions trend of the above data frame using an area plot





2.11. Insights: From the trend in transactions categorized as canceled, only the month of December in the year 2010 was any cancelled transactions recorded. For that month an amount of 17,297K was recorded. No data on cancelled transactions for the other months of that year (2010) were not available of this analysis. Comparing it to the same month in the year 2011 showed a huge increase in the total amount recorded 174,076K for cancelled transactions. For 2011, the retail store observed its lowest cancelled transactions in the months of February and May with recorded figures of 8,275K and 8,928K respectively. The highest amount of total cancelled transactions occurred in the December, recording the highest total amount of 174,076K.

1.1.3 3. Countries with the most sales and canceled Transcations

In the dataset from the online retail store, the countries from which customers transacted were captured. This information is going to be used to derive insights into the total amounts realised from each country with respect to the type of transaction category. We will look at the top 10 countries

with the highest sales transacted and the bottom 10 countries with the least sales transacted on the online retail store. Then the top 10 countries with the highest cancelled transactions and the bottom 10 countries with the least cancelled transactions. Bar charts will be used to visualize and communicate the results of this analysis.

3.1. Filtering for transactions of type sale

3.2. Grouping by 'Country' and aggregating by the number of Transactions and Total Amount

3.3. Sorting the countries by number of transactions in descending order to find the top countries

-	Country	TransactionCount	TotalAmount
35	United Kingdom	348860	7242707.22
13	Germany	8644	205381.15
12	France	8019	183801.94
16	Ireland	7128	257013.12
30	Spain	2418	55706.56
23	Netherlands	2326	283889.34
3	Belgium	1935	36927.34
32	Switzerland	1811	52441.95
26	Portugal	1416	26643.90
0	Australia	1183	138103.81
24	Norway	1049	32454.64
6	Channel Islands	743	19997.54
18	Italy	741	15820.24
11	Finland	647	18344.88
7	Cyprus	600	13158.76
31	Sweden	427	36828.83
1	Austria	384	8742.68
9	Denmark	367	18211.34
25	Poland	325	6974.65
19	Japan	321	37416.37
17	Israel	244	7205.84
36	Unspecified	241	2660.77
28	Singapore	215	9120.39
15	Iceland	182	4310.00
33	USA	179	3580.39
5	Canada	150	3115.44
14	Greece	142	4425.52
22	Malta	109	2070.59
34	United Arab Emirates	67	1864.78
10	EU	57	1159.25
29	South Africa	57	1002.31
20	Lebanon	45	1693.88
21	Lithuania	35	1661.06
4	Brazil	32	1143.60

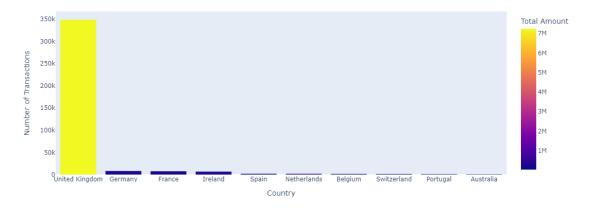
8	Czech Republic	24	786.74
2	Bahrain	17	548.40
27	Saudi Arabia	9	145.92

3.4. Top 10 Countries for Sales Transactions

	Country	${\tt TransactionCount}$	TotalAmount
35	United Kingdom	348860	7242707.22
13	${\tt Germany}$	8644	205381.15
12	France	8019	183801.94
16	Ireland	7128	257013.12
30	Spain	2418	55706.56
23	Netherlands	2326	283889.34
3	Belgium	1935	36927.34
32	Switzerland	1811	52441.95
26	Portugal	1416	26643.90
0	Australia	1183	138103.81

3.5. Visualizing the above results Due to the number of countries in the result set, the top 10 countries with respect to number of transactions and total sales amount, will be considered in the visualization first and then the bottom 10 countries.

Top 10 Countries by sales Transactions and Total Amount



3.6. Insights: For the most sale transactions recorded on the online retail store with respect to the countries of residence of customers, the United Kingdom recorded the highest number of sales transactions. The total figure recorded was approximately 348,800 transactions of the category sale. The United Kingdom also recorded the highest total amount with respect to sales with a total amount of 7.2 million. By far this was the highest recorded sales amount for all transactions on the online retail store platform with respect to countries. In the chart above, we selected only the top 10 countries, with Australia having the lowest number of transactions with respect to sales (1183) and the lowest total amount 138,103.81. The top 10 countries in

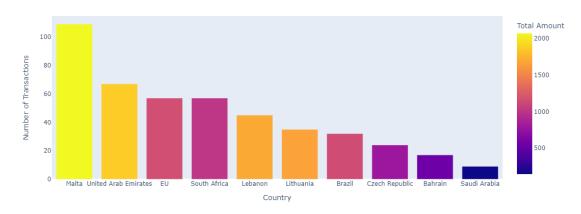
the result set were; United Kingdom, Germany, France, Ireland, Spain, Netherlands, Belgium, Switzerland, Portugal and Australia in that order.

3.7. Bottom 10 Countries for Sales Transactions

	Country	${\tt TransactionCount}$	TotalAmount
22	Malta	109	2070.59
34	United Arab Emirates	67	1864.78
10	EU	57	1159.25
29	South Africa	57	1002.31
20	Lebanon	45	1693.88
21	Lithuania	35	1661.06
4	Brazil	32	1143.60
8	Czech Republic	24	786.74
2	Bahrain	17	548.40
27	Saudi Arabia	9	145.92

3.8. Visualizing the above results

Bottom 10 Countries by sales Transactions and Total Amount



3.9. Insights: For the bottom 10 countries with the least sale transactions recorded on the online retail store platform, the Saudia Arabia recorded the least or lowest number of sales transactions. With a total number of transactions of just 9 transactions of the category sale. Saudi Arabia also recorded the lowest total amount with respect sales with a total amount of just 145.92. By far this was the lowest recorded sales amount for all transactions on the online retail store platform with respect to countries. In the bar chart above, we selected only the bottom 10 countries, with Malta having the highest number of transcations with respect to sales, 109 and a total amount of 2,070.59 among the group. The bottom 10 countries in the result set were; Malta, United Arab Emirates, EU, South Africa, Lebanon, Lithuania, Brazil, Czech Republic, Bahrain and Saudi Arabia in that order. It must be noted that among the bottom 10 group, we had The E.U captured as a country. This might be due to customers preferring to

use their geographical region instead of the country of residence. This will have to be looked at in the design of the customer data capture form on the platform to ensure data conformity.

3.10. Filtering for transactions of type canceled

3.11. Grouping by 'Country' and aggregating by number Transactions and Total Amount

3.12. Sorting the DataFrame by number of transactions(TransactionCount) in descending order to find the top countries

	Country	TransactionCount	TotalAmount
25	United Kingdom	7217	440301.34
10	Germany	437	4761.49
11	Ireland	242	10280.65
9	France	133	2416.40
24	USA	112	1849.47
0	Australia	73	1181.31
21	Spain	45	3959.91
13	Italy	42	543.90
2	Belgium	36	264.38
14	Japan	34	1996.58
23	Switzerland	33	582.55
15	Malta	14	90.12
17	Norway	11	161.68
19	Portugal	11	143.64
18	Poland	11	121.51
22	Sweden	9	1662.42
3	Channel Islands	9	71.15
6	Denmark	8	169.20
4	Cyprus	7	323.40
8	Finland	6	41.34
5	Czech Republic	4	115.02
16	Netherlands	4	409.80
1	Austria	3	44.36
12	Israel	2	227.44
7	EU	1	8.50
20	Saudi Arabia	1	14.75

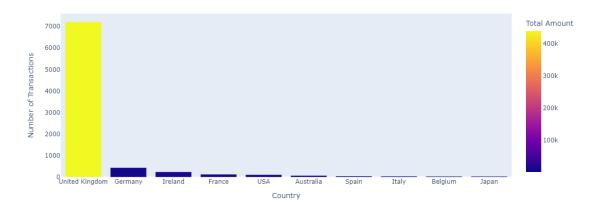
3.13. Top 10 Countries for Canceled Transactions

	Country	${\tt TransactionCount}$	TotalAmount
25	United Kingdom	7217	440301.34
10	${\tt Germany}$	437	4761.49
11	Ireland	242	10280.65
9	France	133	2416.40
24	USA	112	1849.47
0	Australia	73	1181.31
21	Spain	45	3959.91

13	Italy	42	543.90
2	Belgium	36	264.38
14	Japan	34	1996.58

3.14. Visualizing the above result using a bar chart Due to the number of countries in the result set, the top 10 countries with respect to number of transactions and total canceled transaction amount, will be considered in the visualization first and then the bottom 10 countries.

Top 10 Countries by Cancelled Transactions and Total Amount



3.15. Insights: From the visualization above, among the top 10 countries with the most canceled transactions recorded on the online retail store platform, the United Kingdom recorded the highest number of cancelled transactions. With a total number of cancelled transactions at 7217 transactions of the category canceled. The United Kingdom also recorded the highest total amount with respect cancelled transactions, with a total amount of 440,301.34. By far this is the highest recorded canceled transaction amount for all transactions on the online retail store platform with respect to countries. Of the top 10 countries with the highest among of canceled transactions, Japan recorded the least highest, with a total number of canceled transactions of 34 and a total amount of 1,996.58. The top 10 countries in the result set are; United Kindgom, Germany, Ireland, France, USA, Australia, Spain, Italy, Belgium and Japan in that order.

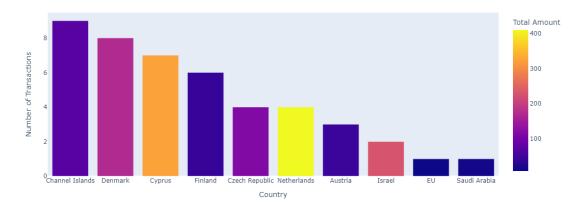
3.16. Bottom 10 Countries for Canceled Transactions

	Country	TransactionCount	TotalAmount
3	Channel Islands	9	71.15
6	Denmark	8	169.20
4	Cyprus	7	323.40
8	Finland	6	41.34
5	Czech Republic	4	115.02
16	Netherlands	4	409.80
1	Austria	3	44.36

12	Israel	2	227.44
7	EU	1	8.50
20	Saudi Arabia	1	14.75

3.17. Visualizing the above result using a bar chart

Bottom 10 Countries by Cancelled Transactions and Total Amount



3.18. Insights: For the bottom 10 countries with the least canceled transactions recorded on the online retail store platform, the Saudia Arabia and the EU recorded the least or lowest number of canceled transactions. With a total number of transactions of just 1 transaction each. Although Saudi Arabia and the EU recorded the least number of canceled transactions, in terms of total amount, Saudi Arabia recorded an amount of 14.75 which is higher than that of the EU which stands at just 8.50. By far this was the lowest recorded sales amount for all cancelled transactions on the online retail store platform with respect to countries. In the bar chart above, we selected only the bottom 10 countries, with the Channel Islands having the highest number of cancelled transactions with 9 and a total amount of 71.15 among the group. The bottom 10 countries in the result set were; Channel Islands, Denmark, Cyprus, Finland, Czech Republic, Netherlands, Austria, Israel, EU, and Saudi Arabia in that order. It must be noted that among the bottom 10 group, we had The E.U also captured as a country. This might be due to customers preferring to use their geographical region instead of the country of residence.

1.1.4 4. During which time of day were the transactions made

For this analysis, I will look at both transaction types sale and canceled, and delve into the dataset to derive insights from transactions made during the times of day,ie. Morning, Afternoon and Evening. We will start a top level, looking at this analysis with respect to months and drill down with filters to look at it with respect to weeks for each year (2010 and 2011).

4.1. Filter out all transcations that are categorized as sale for the year 2010

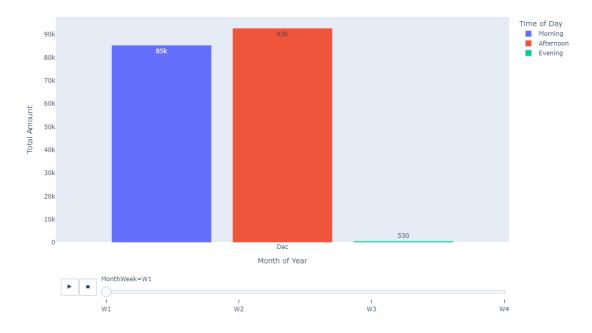
4.2. Create new column for the time of day and categorize into morning, afternoon or evening

4.3. Group the sales transaction data by week, month and year for 2010

	Year	Month	MonthWeek	${\tt TimeOfDay}$	TotalAmount
0	2010	Dec	W1	Morning	85285.76
1	2010	Dec	W1	Afternoon	92628.70
2	2010	Dec	W1	Evening	529.55
3	2010	Dec	W2	Morning	97282.40
4	2010	Dec	W2	Afternoon	109003.40
5	2010	Dec	W2	Evening	1022.13
6	2010	Dec	W3	Morning	80092.46
7	2010	Dec	W3	Afternoon	71022.05
8	2010	Dec	W3	Evening	2373.26
9	2010	Dec	W4	Morning	8286.45
10	2010	Dec	W4	Afternoon	17618.90

4.4. Visualizing the above results for transactions categorized as sale in 2010

Total Amount for Sale Transactions by Time of Day in 2010



- **4.5. Insights:** For the year 2010, transactions on the online retail store were captured only for the month of December. In the four weeks of that month, the following insights were derived with respect to the total amount recorded for the transaction type sale.
 - In week one (W1), more sales transactions were made in the afternoon with a recorded total amount of 92,628.70 as compared to the other times of the day in that week. Evening time

recorded the least or lowest amount of sales transactions with a recorded total amount of just **529.55**.

- In week two (W2), more sales transactions were made in the afternoon with a recorded total amount of 109,003.40 in that week. The morning time recorded the next highest with a total amount of 97,282.40, with the evening time recording the least sales transactions with a recorded total amount of 1,022.13.
- In week three (W3), the mornings recorded the most sales transactions with total amount of 80,092.46 in that week. The afternoon time recorded the next highest with a total amount of 71,022.05, with the evening time recording the least sales transactions with a recorded total amount of 2,373.26.
- In last week of the month of December, week four (W4), less sales transactions were made in all the times of day of the month as compared to the previous weeks in the same month. The afternoon time recorded highest total amount of 17,618.90 in that week. The morning time recorded the next highest with a total amount of 8,286.45, with the evening time recording the least sales transactions with a recorded total amount of 2,373.26.
- It must be noted that the total amount recorded for transactions of type sale for the evening times in both week three and four was the same, 2,373.26.

4.6. Filter out all transcations that are categorized as sale for the year 2011

4.7. Create new column for the time of day and categorize into morning, afternoon or evening

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26231	539993	21499		BLUE P	OLKADOT WRAP	25	
26232	539993	21498		RED RET	ROSPOT WRAP	25	
26233	539993	22379		RECYCLING BA	G RETROSPOT	5	
26234	539993	20718	R	ED RETROSPOT	SHOPPER BAG	10	
26235	539993	85099		JUMBO BAG R	ED RETROSPOT	10	
26236	539993	20682	RED RETR	OSPOT CHILDR	ENS UMBRELLA	6	
26237	539993	22961		JAM MAKING	SET PRINTED	12	
26238	539993	22667		RECIPE BO	X RETROSPOT	6	
26239	539993	22898	CHILD	RENS APRON A	PPLES DESIGN	8	
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26231	2011-01-04	10:00:00	0.42	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26232	2011-01-04	10:00:00	0.42	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26233	2011-01-04	10:00:00	2.10	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26234	2011-01-04	10:00:00	1.25	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26235	2011-01-04	10:00:00	1.95	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26236	2011-01-04	10:00:00	3.25	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26237	2011-01-04	10:00:00	1.45	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26238	2011-01-04	10:00:00	2.95	13313	United Kingo	dom	
26239	2011-01-04	10:00:00	1.95	13313	United Kingo	dom	

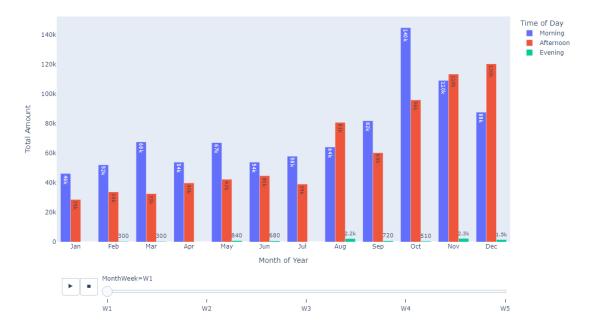
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26230	sale	19.5	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26231	sale	10.5	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26232	sale	10.5	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26233	sale	10.5	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	Morning
26234	sale	12.5	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26235	sale	19.5	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26236	sale	19.5	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26237	sale	17.4	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26238	sale	17.7	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$
26239	sale	15.6	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	${ t Morning}$

4.8. Group the sales transcation data by week, month and year for 2011

	Year	Month	MonthWeek	${\tt TimeOfDay}$	${\tt TotalAmount}$
0	2011	Jan	W1	Morning	46173.53
1	2011	Jan	W2	Morning	101976.37
2	2011	Jan	W3	Morning	136559.55
3	2011	Jan	W4	Morning	59907.43
4	2011	Jan	W5	Morning	25458.44
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153	2011	Dec	W2	Morning	242274.01
154	2011	Dec	W1	Afternoon	120246.63
155	2011	Dec	W2	Afternoon	59483.99
156	2011	Dec	W1	Evening	1531.81
157	2011	Dec	W2	Evening	1078.96

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4.9. Visualizing the above results for transactions categorized as sale in 2011



4.10. Insights: For the year 2011, transactions on the online retail store were captured for the months of January through to December. In the five weeks of each month of the year, the following insights were derived with respect to the total amount recorded for the transaction type sale.

- In week one (W1), January didn't record any transactions in the evening. Across all the months in the year, the evening times recorded the least total amount for transactions made on the online retail store. The months of February and March recorded the least total_amounts for sales transactions for the evenings in the year, with a total amount of 300 each. Comparatively, more sales transactions were made in the mornings across all the months of the year with October recording the highest total amount of 144,624.77 for all morning sales transactions. August, November and December were the only months in which a higher total amount with respect to sales transactions were made in the afternoon, as compared to the other times of the day in that week. The recorded total amounts for sales transactions for the respective months were 80,678.39 for August, 113,325.11 for November and 120,246.63 for December.
- In week two (W2), January, August and October didn't record any total amount for sales transactions in the evening. Across all the months in the year, the evening times recorded the least total amount for transactions made on the online retail store. The months of February and March recorded the least total_amounts for sales transactions for the evenings in the year, with a total amounts of 220 and 170 each respectively. Across all the months in the year, the mornings recorded the highest total amounts for sales transactions with December recording the highest total amount of 242,274.01. June, July and August were the only months in which a higher total amount with respect to sales transactions were made in the afternoon, as compared to the other times of the day in that week. The recorded total amounts for sales

transactions for these respective months were 119,584.12 for June, 54,302.36 for July and 82,972.06 for August.

- In week three (W3), no sales transactions were recorded for the month of December for each time of the day (morning, afternoon and evening). Again across all the months in the year for this week, the evening times recorded the least total amount for sales transactions made on the online retail store. The months of January, February and September recorded the least total_amounts for sales transactions for the evenings in the year, with total amounts of 222.24, 359.83 and 176.94 respectively. The mornings recorded the highest total amounts for sales transactions across all the months of the year, with September recording the highest total amount of 174,271.02. April was the only month in which a higher total amount with respect to sales transactions was made in the afternoon, as compared to the other times of the day in that week. With a recorded total amount of 81,784.52.
- In week four (W4), no sales transactions were recorded for the month of December for each time of the day (morning, afternoon and evening). Again across all the months in the year for this week, the evening times recorded the least total amounts for sales transactions made on the online retail store. The months of January, March, July, August, September and November recorded the least total_amounts for sales transactions for the evenings in the year, with total amounts of 153.15, 349.23, 533.57, 353.45, 715.81 and 785.23 respectively less than a 1000. The mornings recorded the highest total amounts for sales transactions across all the months of the year, with October recording the highest total amount of 127,350.80. March, September and November were the only months in which a higher total amount with respect to sales transactions were recorded in the afternoon, as compared to the other times of the day in that week. With recorded total amounts of 66,719.99, 108,349.98, 122,708.20 respectively.
- In week five (W5), no sales transactions were recorded for the month of December for each time of the day (morning, afternoon and evening). Again across all the months in the year for this week, the evening times recorded the least total amounts for sales transactions made on the online retail store. January, February, May, August, October and November recorded no sales transactions for the evening time. The months of March, April, July and September recorded the least total_amounts for sales transactions for the evenings in the year, with total amounts of 984.90, 94.45, 394.85 and 243.20 respectively less than a 1000. The mornings recorded some of the highest total amounts for sales transactions in major of the months in year, with September recording the highest total amount of 67,027.75. May, July and November were the only months in which higher total amounts with respect to sales transactions were recorded in the afternoon, as compared to the other times of the day in that week. With recorded total amounts of 13,007.18, 73,531.56, 75,534.87 respectively.

4.11. Filter out all transcations that are categorized as canceled for the year 2010

4.12. Create new column for the time of day and categorize into morning, afternoon or evening

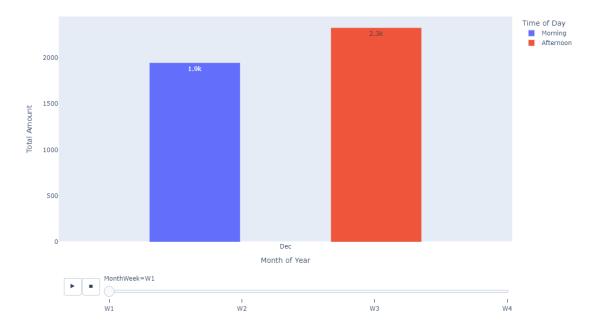
4.13. Group the canceled transactions data by week, month and year for 2010 Year Month MonthWeek TimeOfDay TotalAmount

0 2010 Dec W1 Morning 1944.84

1	2010	Dec	W1	Afternoon	2325.10
2	2010	Dec	W2	Morning	588.52
3	2010	Dec	W2	Afternoon	3671.20
4	2010	Dec	W3	Morning	3923.41
5	2010	Dec	W3	Afternoon	4326.92
6	2010	Dec	W4	Morning	394.95
7	2010	Dec	W4	Afternoon	122.30

4.14. Visualizing the above results for transactions categorized as canceled in 2010





- **4.15. Insights:** For the year 2010, transactions of type canceled on the online retail store were captured only for the month of December. In the four weeks of that month, the following insights were derived with respect to the total amount recorded for the transaction type canceled.
 - In week one (W1), more cancelled transactions were recorded in the afternoon with a total amount of 2,325.10 as compared to the morning which recorded a total amount of 1,944.84 in that week. There were no recorded cancelled transactions for evening time in the month.
 - In week two (W2), more cancelled transactions were recorded in the afternoon with a total amount of **3,671.20** in that week. The morning time recorded a total amount of just **588.52**, with no cancelled transactions recorded in the evening time.
 - Week three (W3) recorded the most cancelled transactions for both morning and afternoon, with total amounts of **3,923.41** and **4,326.92** respectively in that week. The afternoon time recorded the highest total amount of the two, with the evening time recording no cancelled transactions.

• The last week of the month, week four (W4), recorded the least cancelled transactions in all the times of day of the month as compared to the previous weeks in the same month. The afternoon time recorded the least total amount of 122.30. The morning time recorded the highest with a total amount of 394.95, again no cancelled transaction for the evening time was recorded.

4.16. Filter out all transcations that are categorized as canceled for the year 2011

4.17. Create new column for the time of day and categorize into morning, afternoon or evening

	${\tt InvoiceNo}$	StockCod	е		Desc	cription	Qua	antity	\
26298	540006	2130	6	SET/4 DAIS	Y MIRROR	MAGNETS		1	
26299	540006	8435	2 SILVER	CHRISTMAS TR	EE BAUBLI	E STAND		1	
26300	540006	2242	3	REGENCY	CAKESTANI	O 3 TIER		1	
26301	540007	2105	5	TO	OL BOX SO	OFT TOY		6	
26302	540007	2227	4	FELT	CRAFT DOI	LL EMILY		6	
	Inv	voiceDate	UnitPrice	c CustomerID		Country	\		
26298	2011-01-04	10:48:00	2.10	14606	United	Kingdom			
26299	2011-01-04	10:48:00	16.95	14606	United	Kingdom			
26300	2011-01-04	10:48:00	12.75	14606	United	Kingdom			
26301	2011-01-04	11:08:00	8.95	15379	United	Kingdom			
26302	2011-01-04	11:08:00	2.95	15379	United	Kingdom			
	Transaction	nType Tot	alAmount M	lonthWeek Mon	thofYear	Month	Year	TimeOfI	Day
26298	cand	celed	2.10	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	Morni	ing
26299	cand	celed	16.95	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	Morni	ing
26300	cand	celed	12.75	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	Morni	ing
26301	cand	celed	53.70	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	Morni	ing
26302	cand	celed	17.70	W1	Jan	Jan	2011	Morni	ing

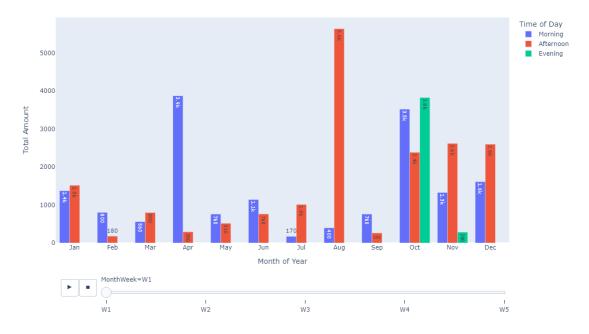
4.18. Group the canceled transactions data by week, month and year for 2011

	Year	Month	MonthWeek	${\tt TimeOfDay}$	TotalAmount
0	2011	Jan	W1	Morning	1373.13
1	2011	Jan	W2	Morning	2992.18
2	2011	Jan	W3	Morning	77597.01
3	2011	Jan	W4	Morning	1183.81
4	2011	Jan	W5	Morning	2018.15
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121	2011	Dec	W1	Morning	1609.73
122	2011	Dec	W2	Morning	169418.71
123	2011	Dec	W1	Afternoon	2596.74
124	2011	Dec	W2	Afternoon	380.73
125	2011	Dec	W2	Evening	70.15

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4.19. Visualizing the above results for canceled transactions in 2011





4.20. Insights: For the year 2011, transactions on the online retail store were captured for the months of January through to December. In the five weeks, the following insights were derived with respect to the total amount recorded for the transactions of type canceled.

• Week One (W1):

- 1. For canceled transactions in the morning, April recorded the highest total amount **3,874.67**, with the month of July recording the least total amount of just **171.67**.
- 2. For the afternon, the months of January, March, July, August, November and December recorded higher total amounts for cancelled transactions. The month of August recorded the highest total amount for canceled transactions among the listed months with a recorded total amount of 5,637.25. February had the least total amount for canceled transactions with a figure of just 177.37.
- 3. In the evening, the months of January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September and December didn't record any cancelled transactions. The only months for which any cancelled transactions in the evening were recorded, were October and November. In these two months, October recorded the highest total amount of 3,826.75. This figure was the highest in the month, higher than the total amounts for the morning and afternoon.
- 4. For Ten months out of the 12, no canceled transactions were recorded for the evening. These months were; January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, and December.

• Week Two (W2):

1. For canceled transactions in the morning, the months of October and December recorded

- the highest total amounts for all canceled transactions with figures of 13,629.41 and 169,418.71 respectively. The month of December recorded the highest total amount of the week. The months of March, August and September recorded the least total amount of canceled transactions.
- 2. For the afternoon, the months of October, and November recorded higher total amounts for canceled transactions. The month of October recorded the highest total amount for canceled transactions of the two months with a recorded amount of 3,369.90. May had the least total amount for canceled transactions with a figure of just 315.28.
- 3. In the evening, only the months of May, June, and December recorded any cancelled transactions. Of these three months, June recorded the highest total amount of 226.26, followed by May 223.85 with December recording the least total amount of just 70.15.
- 4. Nine(9) months out of the 12, recorded no canceled transactions for the evening. These months were; January, February, March, April, July, August, September, October, and November.

• Week Three (W3):

- For canceled transactions in the morning, January recorded the highest total amount 77,597.01, with the month of February recording the least total amount of just 311.70. For the month of December, no canceled transctions were recorded for all times of the day in the week.
- 2. For the afternoon, the month of April recorded the highest total amount for cancelled transactions with a figure of 23,956.02. The month of February recorded the least total amount for canceled transactions of all the months with a recorded amount of just 441.64
- 3. For the evening, the only months for which any cancelled transactions were recorded, were May,October and November. In these three months, November recorded the highest total amount of just 165, with May recording the least amount of 61.85. Of all the times of day for this week, the evening recorded the least total amounts for all canceled transactions.
- 4. For eight months out of the eleven avaliable months, no canceled transactions were recorded for the evening. These months were; January, February, March, April, June, July, August, and September. The month of December recorded no canceled transactions for each time of day for the week.

• Week Four (W4):

- 1. For the morning, September and October recorded the highest total amounts with figures of **7,387.56** and **6,132.71** respectively. With the month of September recording the highest total amount in the week. The month of July recorded the least total amount in the week with just **185.83**.
- 2. For the afternoon, the month of February recorded highest total amount for cancelled transactions with recorded total amount of 2,728.80. April had the least total amount for cancelled transactions with a figure of just 396.73.
- 3. For the evening, only the months of March, May, and October recorded any cancelled transactions. For these three months, May recorded the highest total amount of 100.18. Of all the times of day for the week, the evening time recorded the least total amounts for canceled transactions.
- 4. For eight months out of the available 11, no canceled transactions were recorded for the evening. These months were; January, February, April, June, July, August, September and November. The month of December recorded no canceled transactions for any time of day for the week.

• Week Five (W5):

- 1. For canceled transactions in the morning, the month of September recorded the highest total amount **3,289.20**, with the month of October recording the least total amount of just **239.50**.
- 2. For the afternoon, the month of August recorded highest total amount for cancelled transactions with a figure of **8,174.76**. The month of February had the least total amount for canceled transactions with a figure of just **1.95** and this was the only recorded total amount for February for the week.
- 3. For the evening, the months of January, February, March, May, June, August, September, October, and November didn't record any cancelled transactions. The only months for which any cancelled transactions in the evening were recorded, were April and July. Of these two months, April recorded the highest total amount of 535.71.
- 4. For nine(9) months out of the available 11 months, no canceled transactions were recorded for the evening. These months were; January, February, March, May, June, August, September, October and November. The month of December recorded no canceled transaction of all times of day for the week.

1.1.5 5. From which country did the online retail store have the most customers?

5.1. Count of customers that visited the online retail store for each country

5.2. Sorting the resulting dataframe by the number of customers in descending order

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		Country	${\tt CustomerID}$
35	United	Kingdom	3943
13		Germany	95
12		France	87
30		Spain	30
3		Belgium	25
32	Swit	zerland	21
26	I	Portugal	19
18		Italy	14
11		Finland	12
1		Austria	11
24		Norway	10
23	Neth	nerlands	9
0	Αι	ıstralia	9
9		Denmark	9
6	Channel	Islands	9
7		Cyprus	8
31		Sweden	8
19		Japan	8
25		Poland	6
33		USA	4
5		Canada	4
14		Greece	4
36	Unsı	pecified	4
17		Israel	4

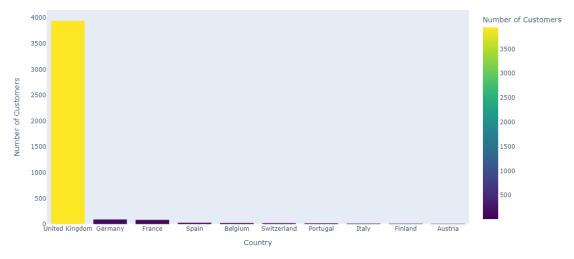
16	Ireland	3
22	Malta	2
34	United Arab Emirates	2
2	Bahrain	2
8	Czech Republic	1
21	Lithuania	1
20	Lebanon	1
27	Saudi Arabia	1
28	Singapore	1
29	South Africa	1
4	Brazil	1
15	Iceland	1
10	EU	1

5.3. Top 10 Countries with the Most Customers

	Country	${\tt CustomerID}$
35	United Kingdom	3943
13	Germany	95
12	France	87
30	Spain	30
3	Belgium	25
32	Switzerland	21
26	Portugal	19
18	Italy	14
11	Finland	12
1	Austria	11

5.4. Visualizing the above result For the resulting dataframe, the top 10 countries with the most customers will be visualized first and then the bottom 10 countries will be visualized.





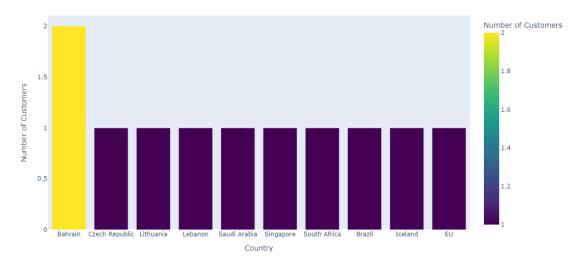
5.5. Insights: For the top 10 countries with the highest number of customers on the online retail store, the following insight was derived; 1. The United Kingdom had the highest number of customers with a total number of **3,943**. 2. Austria had the lowest number among the top 10 countries with a total number of **11**.

5.6. Bottom 10 Countries with Least Customers

	Country	CustomerID
2	Bahrain	2
8	Czech Republic	1
21	Lithuania	1
20	Lebanon	1
27	Saudi Arabia	1
28	Singapore	1
29	South Africa	1
4	Brazil	1
15	Iceland	1
10	EU	1

5.7. Visualizing the above result

Number of Customers by Country (Bottom 10)



5.8. Insights: For the bottom 10 countries with the least number of customers on the online retail store, the following insight was derived; 1. Bahrain had the highest number of customers among this group with a total number of just 2. 2. The following countries, Czech Republic,

Lithuania, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, Brazil, Iceland and the EU had the lowest number of customers of the bottom group with each country recording a total number of 1.